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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

No 525.

EMERGENCY MEETING of the  
LONDON LODGE will be held in FREE-  
RY HALL, Zealand Street, on WEDNES-  
day, the 12th October, at 8.30 for 9 P.M.  
y. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially  
welcome.  
[Signed, 8th October, 1886. (1915

INSURANCE OFFICE,  
LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE FIFTH ORDINARY GENERAL  
MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS,  
being at the OFFICES of the Under-  
secretary (London), on SATURDAY,  
the 10th instant.

TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company  
CLOSED from the 5th to the 23rd inst.  
y. has been

MARJINE MATHESON & Co.

GANTON INSURANCE OFFICE LIMITED.  
 Hongkong, 8th October, 1886. [1916]  
PUBLIC AUCTION.  
 The Undersigned has received instructions  
 to Sell by Public Auction,  
 TO-MORROW,  
 9th October, 1886, at 2 P.M., at his  
 Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,  
 DRY HOUSEHOLD AND OFFICE  
 FURNITURE, &c.,  
 Comprising:—  
 A MARBLED COVERED DRAWING-  
 ROOM SUITE, CENTRE and SIDE  
 TABLES, MIRRORS, LAMPS, PERSIAN

DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD, WHAT-  
 S, DINNER, DESSERT, AND TEA-  
 SERVICES, GLASS AND PLATED WARE.  
 SINGLE IRON BEDSTEAD with  
 WIRE MATTRESS, WARDROBES,  
 SET OF DRAWERS, TOILET TABLE,  
 WASHSTAND.  
 WOOD OFFICE DESK, WRITING  
 LEAF AND GLASS BOOK CASES.  
 FEW LAW BOOKS.  
 &c. &c.  
 TERMS OF SALE—As Customary.  
 J. M. ARMSTRONG,  
 Auctioneer.  
 Liverpool, 8th October, 1896. [1917

BATAVIA, SAMARANG, AND  
 SUBABAYA. (VIA SINGAPORE).  
 The Company's Steamship  
 "DEVONHURST."  
 Main Hontoff, will be despatched as above  
 about the 13th inst.  
 For Freight or Passage, apply to  
 JARDINE, MATHEWSON & Co.,  
 Agents.  
 Hongkong, 7th October, 1893. [1914

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FOR SALE.

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THE BRITISH STEAMSHIP  
 "CRUSADEE."

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, 4th October, 1886. [1886]

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF  
CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

SECOND BONUS OF FIVE PER CENT.  
on Contributions and a DIVIDEND OF  
ONE DOLLAR AND TWENTY-FIVE CENTS  
per share for the year 1885, will be payable on  
OCTOBER 15th, next instant.

VARRANTS may be had on application at the  
office of the Society on and after that date.  
By Order of the Board, N. J. EDE,  
Secretary. [1886]

Hongkong, 2nd October, 1886.

**SANDAKAN.**

**TENDERS FOR FARMS, 1887.**

**VENDERS for the PAWNBROKING FARM** of the Town of Sandakan and for Farm of the right of collecting the Government duties on all Wines, Spirituous and Malt liquors imported into the Port of Sandakan together with the exclusive monopoly of the right to import, retail and manufacture Chinese Samsa and Spirituous Liquors in the district of the Bay of Sandakan and the Lohas and Kinabatangan rivers and their tributaries, for the year 1887 will be received at the Office of the Colonial Secretary, Sandakan, until noon, on MONDAY, the 15th November, 1886.

Anders should state the monthly pay

The Government does not bind itself to accept the highest or any Tender.  
Any further information on this subject may be obtained from the Treasurer General.  
By His Excellency's Command.  
L. B. VON DONOP,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.  
Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Sandakan, 30th August, 1888. 1817

NOTICE.  
HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK  
COMPANY, LIMITED.  
SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are  
respectfully informed that, if upon their  
arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's

to the HEAD OFFICE, Nos. 14, Praya  
central, will receive prompt attention.  
In the event of complaints being found  
accusatory, communication with the Undersigned  
requested, when immediate steps will be taken  
to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.  
D. GILLIES,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, 26th August, 1885. [35  
NOTICE.  
THE Undersigned is prepared to give  
LESSONS in Mandarin and Cantonese  
Dialects, he understands English well and is  
able to undertake the Translation of Docu-  
ments from Chinese into English or vice versa.  
He was Sub-Manager of the Canton Arsenal for

inase etiquette.  
 Apply to Mr. FUNG A-SUI of the YAN WOO  
 Co., No. 6, Cleverly Street, or YIU HING  
 ASSURANCE Society, Nos. 184 & 188, Queen's  
 Road.  
 POON MING KUA, Jr.  
 Hongkong, 28th September, 1888. 1857

利全  
H U N L E E,  
DRAPERS, HOSIERS,  
HABERDASHERS,  
MILLINERS, TAILORS AND  
DRESSMAKERS.  
No. 3, LYNDHURST TERRACE. [1893]  
THE Undersigned have been appointed Sole  
Agents for the Sale of their Goods in  
Hongkong and China by Messrs. J. & R. PEN-  
NENT, Glasgow, and Messrs. DAVID COHEN &  
SONS, Liverpool.  
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.  
Hongkong, January, 1897. [2]







## MAILS EXPECTED

THE GERMAN MAIL.

The Norddeutscher Lloyd steamer *Nürnberg*, with the next German mail, left Singapore at daylight on the 3rd, and is due here on the 8th instant.

THE FRENCH MAIL.

The M. M. steamer *Océus*, with the next outward French mail, left Singapore at 11 a.m. on the 6th, and may be expected here on or about

The O. S. S. Company's steamer *Titan* left Singapore on the 2nd, and is due here on the 8th instant.

The Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's steamer *Amphitrite* left Singapore on the afternoon of the 2nd, and is due here on or about the 8th instant.

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**POST-OFFICE NOTICES.**

When Correspondence has been misdirected or delayed (both of which are liable to happen occasionally) the following addresses need do to no harm to the cover, *Sent to \_\_\_\_\_, or Received at \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, or may be, and forward it, without any other writing whatever, to the Postmaster-General. This should be done at the first time a case of misdirection occurs; it is a giving trouble a course which generally gives more trouble in the end.*

**LOCAL DELIVERY.**—No delivery is attempted on Board Ships at the Ports, Kowloon, Aberdeen, &c., nor at any private house (even though named in the address) when there is a place of business nearer, at which delivery can be effected.

The Postal Guide for 1836, revised to date will be found in the *Daily Press Directory*, p. 385; latest edition, p. 701. A small edition of this is the only authoritative source of information for Postal information published in Hongkong.

✻ The authorised List of Mails issued in

connection with this paper is thus one paid  
twice each day in our *Batta*, which is always  
corrected to a much later hour than that given  
below.

A MAIL VESSEL DEPARTS.

For Bangkok.—*Per Kiny Beng*, to-day, the  
8th inst., at 3.30 A.M.

For Swatow and Amoy.—*Per Picicida*, to-  
day, the 8th inst., at 3.30 A.M.

For Bangkok.—*Per Stratheden*, to-day, the  
8th inst., at 4.30 P.M.

For Amoy and Manila.—*Per Zofra*, to-morrow,  
the 9th inst., at 4.30 P.M.

For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.—*Per*  
*Hinghoo*, to-morrow, the 9th inst., at 5.00 P.M.

For Swatow and Calcutta.—*Per Wangang*,  
on Thursday, the 14th inst., at 2.30 P.M.

For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama.—*Per*  
*Thilo* on Friday, the 15th inst., at 2.00 P.M.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.

The British Company's Packet *Adana* will  
be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 12th October,  
with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe  
and countries beyond, *via Brindisi*; to the

The annual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Bank Notes, gold, or Jewellery, and where Registration has been made, it cannot make no enquiries into alleged loss of such letters.

**MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.**

The French Contract Packet, *Anadyr* will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 19th October, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond; via Naples, to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Singapore, Ceylon, India (via Madras), the Australian Colonies, India (via Bombay), the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

The annual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

The Post Office declines all responsibility for Unregistered Letters containing Jewellery, &c., and where Registration has been neglected, will

makers no enquiries into alleged losses of such letters.

**HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS.**

**THE ENGLISH MAIL.**  
The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c. by the English Contract Packet:—

*Day of Departure.*

**NOON.**—Money Order Office closes.  
**2.00 P.M.**—Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and newspapers ceases.  
**3.10 P.M.**—Letters may be posted with late fee of 10 cents until.  
**3.30 P.M.**—when the Post Office closes entirely.  
**3.40 P.M.**—Late Letters may be posted on 4 p.m. the packet with late fee of 10 cents, until time of departure.

**THE FRENCH MAIL.**  
*Day before Departure.*

**5 P.M.**—Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours.

**Day of Departure.**

7 A.M. Post Office opens.

10 A.M. Registered Letters, cease. Posting of all unregistered letters and patterns ceases.

11 A.M. Mail closes, except for Late Letters.

11.10 A.M. Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until

11.30 A.M. when the Post Office closes entirely.

12.10 A.M. Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents until time of departure.

No responsibility can be accepted by the Post Office for addresses replies to verbal enquiries, or to notes addressed to subordinate officers. The shroffs told off to sell stamps should especially be careful to give correct information. The Postal Guide alone is the standard on all points on which such information may be required.

**MONEY ORDERS.**

1.—Money orders are issued at Hongkong and Shanghai on the following countries and places:—

	Arroyo.	Malabar.
	Belgium.	Mauritius.
	Bermuda.	Natal.
	Canada.	Newfoundland.
	Canton.	New South Wales.
	Cape Colony.	New Zealand.
	Ceylon.	Ningpo.
	(Cantonisation).	North Borneo.
	Cyprus.	Norway.
	Denmark.	Port Darwin.
	France.	Portugal.
	Falkland Is.	Queensland.
	Finland.	Rangoon.
	Galathea.	Seoul.
	Germany.	Seychelles.
	Gibraltar.	Shanghai.
	Gold Coast.	Sierra Leone.
	Hankow.	South Australia.
	Hawaii.	Straits Settlements.
	Holstein.	Sueatow.
	Holland.	Sueatow.
	Hongkong (Br.)	Switzerland.
	Huankong.	Taiwan.
	India.	Tientsin-Kingdon.
	Italy.	Victoria.
	Japan.	West Australia.
	Japan.	West India (British).
	Japan.	Danish and Dutch).

2.—Orders drawn on the London Post Office may be paid less a small discount of about 2d. All orders for which the remitter should allow. All remittance orders must be expressed in British currency.

3.—The commission charged is as follows:—

According to the following scale drawn in	
Up to £100	£10 or 20 Rupees ..... 0.50 cent
£100 or £25, or 50 Rupees	..... 0.40 cent
£25, or 30, or 40 Rupees	..... 0.30 cent
£20, or 30, or 40 Rupees	..... 0.20 cent
£15 or 20, or 30, or 40 Rupees	..... 0.10 cent
150 Rupees	..... £1.00

4.—No orders must exceed £100 or 200 Rupees drawn on India, where the £100 is the limit. If more than two such orders be issued for the same person, in favour of the same payee, the limit must be adhered to.

5.—Money orders on the United Kingdom may be even sum not exceeding £5 are granted by the Hongkong Post Office, as to which see separate notice or the Hongkong Post Guide.

6.—Sums not exceeding \$50 may be remitted between the ports of China by means of Post Office stamps, subject to a small commission.

7.—Orders for money orders can be granted to Hongkong or Shanghai on ports where there

are Agencies of the Hongkong Post Office.  
† Small remittances can be made to this place by means of Postal Notes. See separate notice or the Postal Guide.



